

2002 Census of Agriculture Congressional District Profile

District 21, New York

Number of farms: 2,127

Land in farms: 386,117 acres

Average size of farm: 182 acres

Irrigated Land: 2,334 acres

Total Number of Farm Operators: 3,352

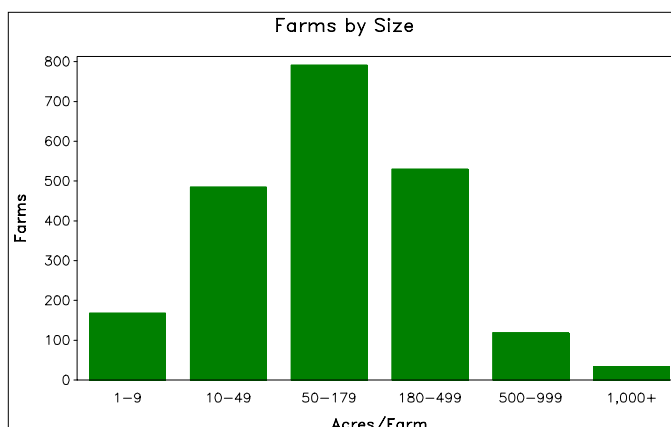
Market Value of Production: \$110,513,000

Market Value of Production, average per farm: \$51,957

Government Payments: \$5,315,000

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments: \$9,475

Gross Income from Farm Related Sources: \$4,203,000



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Ranked items among the 29 congressional districts in the state, and among the 435 congressional districts in the U.S., 2002

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	110,513	10	21	245	418
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) ²					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	5,266	8	14	210	371
Tobacco	-	-	1	-	106
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	111
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	5,718	12	18	182	398
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	1,363	12	18	240	403
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	9,945	10	21	309	415
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	369	11	13	128	349
Poultry and eggs	458	11	17	255	382
Cattle and calves	14,379	6	13	208	389
Milk and other dairy products from cows	60,338	8	12	92	339
Hogs and pigs	192	9	14	246	372
Sheep, goats, and their products	450	6	14	146	380
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	704	9	16	258	398
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	15	(D)	321
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	63,476	7	14	206	394
Layers 20 weeks old and older	(D)	9	18	210	387
Sheep and lambs	7,657	6	16	111	383
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	4,497	6	13	184	354
Horses and ponies	3,775	8	18	234	408
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	156,104	6	15	101	391
Corn for silage	23,766	7	13	67	330
Corn for grain	18,014	7	12	164	327
All Vegetables harvested	2,692	12	18	167	398
Soybeans	2,432	8	13	200	269

Other Congressional District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	530	Farming	1,257
\$1,000 to \$2,499	278	Other	870
\$2,500 to \$4,999	224		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	220	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	235	Male	1,719
\$20,000 to \$24,999	45	Female	408
\$25,000 to \$39,999	89		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	59	Average age of principal operator (years)	55.5
\$50,000 to \$99,999	168		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	165	All operators ³ by race:	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	77	White	3,249
\$500,000 or more	37	Black or African American	13
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	50,936	American Indian or Alaska Native	8
Average per farm (\$)	105,895	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		Asian	4
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	21,108	More than one race	3
Average per farm (\$)	9,630	All operators ³ of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	47

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of congressional districts in state or U.S. with item.

² Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

³ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.